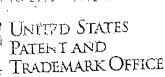
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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "BIOSTAR, INC.", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "BIOSTAR, INC." TO "THERMO BIOSTAR INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE TWENTY-SEVENTE DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2000, AT 10:30 O'CLOCK A.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.

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OF

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

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BioStar, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware,

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That the Board of Directors of said corporation, by the unanimous written consent of its members, filed with the minutes of the Board, adopted a resolution proposing and declaring advisable the following amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation of said corporation:

RESOLVED, that the Certificate of Incorporation of BioStar, Inc. be amended by changing the First Article thereof so that, as amended, said Article shall be and read as follows:

1. The name of corporation is: "Thermo BioStar Inc.".

SECOND: That in lieu of a meeting and vote of stockholders, the stockholders have given unanimous written consent to said amendment in accordance with the provisions of Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: That the aforesaid amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the applicable provisions of Sections 242 and 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said BioStar, Inc. has caused this certificate to be signed by Sandra L. Lambert, its Secretary, this <u>alambert</u> day of October, 2000.

BioStar, Inc.

Sandra L. Lambert, Secretary

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